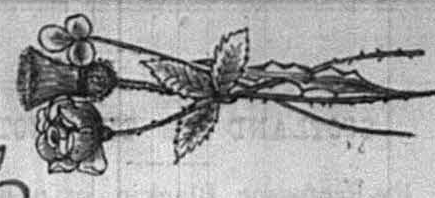


# THE COLONIST.



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## By Telegraph.

HALIFAX, N. S., June 11.  
The Queen has assented to a dissolution. Gladstone asks the House to conclude business promptly to effect early elections.

The Belfast police charged the orange rioters but were forced to retire to their barracks where they fired from the windows upon the mob. Many persons were killed and many have been wounded. A large number of arrests have been made. The city is now quiet, and 700 extra police have been added to the force.

The Papal Consistory have created four Cardinals, nominated three Bishops in Ireland, six in America, twelve in Spain, three in Germany and seven others.

[SPECIAL TO THE COLONIST.]

**BAY BULLS,** this evening.  
The trading schooner "Louis Dugau," of Yarmouth, N. S., Captain Shaw, ballast laden, capsized last evening about two miles east of Gull Island, Witless Bay, saved nothing whatever, Captain and crew barely escaped with their lives, they were brought in here by a Quebec trading vessel. The "Louis Dugau" left St. John's at 6 a.m. yesterday bound to Lingua, N. S.

## OUR ADVERTISING PATRONS.

Auction—Loins, &c. Hearn & Co.  
Auction—Furniture sale. T. W. Spry  
Auction—Brick Dwelling House. Jas. J. Collins  
Auction—butter, &c. Clift, Wood & Co.  
Auction—beef, mutton, &c. James Hynes  
Ldg.—a broach. return to John Steer's Office  
Allan Line Notice. Shea & Co.  
Newfoundland Railway. Thos. Noble  
Card of Thanks. Rev. J. St. John  
Dories. J. & L. Furlong.  
Post Office Notice. J. O. Fraser  
Notice. J. A. Davis

## AUCTION SALES.

To-morrow, (SATURDAY), at 11 o'clock,  
**At HUNTER'S COVE,**  
25 Barrels LOINS.  
11 " PORK.  
15 " JOWLS.

HEARN & Co.,  
Auctioneers.

To-morrow, (SATURDAY) at 11 o'clock,  
By JAMES HYNES,  
(AT HIS ROOMS, OPPOSITE JOB BROS. & CO.)

200 pieces Beef and Mutton, 50  
tubs butter, 5 brls heavy mess pork, 5 brls, heads,  
2 brls smoked jowls, 5 boxes bologna sausages, 30  
canadian cheese, 30 boxes soap, 2 brls eggs, 25  
bundles fish, 30 gross matches, 3000 cabbage plants,  
2 canary birds, 50 bundles rhubarb; lot of new  
and second-hand furniture and various other  
articles.

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To-morrow, (SATURDAY), at 11 o'clock,  
By CLIFT, WOOD & Co.,  
50 tubs Canadian and American  
butter, 20 brls P. E. I. rumps and thin mess pork,  
10 brls P. E. I. pates, 10 brls parsnips and carrots,  
5 brls dried apples, AFTER WHICH, 40 bundles  
P. E. I. hay, 100 brls P. E. I. potatoes in lots to  
suit purchasers.

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## FURNITURE SALE.

On MONDAY next, 14th inst., at 11 o'clock,  
AT THE RESIDENCE OF

**Mr. Thomas Brown.**

Gower Street, near the English Cathedral.

All his Household FURNITURE,  
CONSISTING OF:

Parlor, Dining Rooms, Kitchen and Bedroom  
FURNITURE, Beds and Bedding—without reserve.  
Purchasers must be prepared to make delivery  
of the Goods immediately after sale.

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Auctioneer.

POSTPONED UNTIL TO-MORROW.

I am authorized by Mr. John Harvey, to offer  
for Sale by Public Auction, (without reserve) on  
To-morrow (Saturday) at 12 o'clock, on the pre-  
mises, all that valuable BRICK DWELLING  
HOUSE (freehold) situate on the South-side, just  
east of the Bridge, at present in the occupancy of  
the said John Harvey. If you want to buy and  
cannot attend the sale to-morrow, you may make  
me an offer by private sale, any time this evening  
JAS. J. COLLINS,  
Auctioneer.

Office: 11, New Gower Street.

## To Satisfy a Mortgage.

To-morrow (SATURDAY) at 11 o'clock,  
ON THE PREMISES OF

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The Schooner

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35 Tons Register. Built in Green Bay in 1881.  
Well found in every respect.

W. H. MARE, SON & Co.,  
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## New Advertisements.

## FOR SALE,

## The Schooners

Levant, 43 Tons,

Ella D, 43 "

Three Sons, 21 "

Arrow, 28 Tons,

Vivid, 37 "

Daisy, 20 "

—ALSO—

## Three Codtraps.

Apply to

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## KEEP COOL!

## The Greatest Luxury of the Season!

THE SUBSCRIBER has erected a large ICE-HOUSE at Hoylestown, in which is stowed 500 TONS of PURE, GLITTERING

## ICE ICE ICE,

From Signal-hill Lake. Our annual customers and others, who require this indispensable, will please send name and address. Terms—30s., delivered every morning (Sunday excepted), commencing June 1st. Called for at Atlantic Hotel—20s. Steamboats and Bankers supplied by the ton.

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## Tarred Manilla Hawasers.

### FOR SALE

BY P. & L. TESSIER,  
TWO, each 7 1-2 and 8in. 80 Fathoms.  
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## Cogan Valley Sole Leather.

Just received, per steamer "Miranda,"  
from New York.

300 Sides Cogan Valley  
**SOLE LEATHER,**  
OF VERY SUPERIOR QUALITY—hard & plump.  
BOWRING BROS.

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## GOVERNMENT NOTICE.

SEALED TENDERS will be  
received at this Office until MONDAY,  
14th inst., at noon, from parties intend-  
ing to contract for  
**PAINTING the RAILS, &c., of JOB'S BRIDGE.**  
The Painting to be done as the work  
progresses.

Particulars, &c., to be had at the  
Board of Works Office.

The Board will not be bound to accept  
the lowest or any Tender.

By order,  
W. R. STIRLING,  
pro Secretary.

Board of Work's Office,  
June 9, 1886.

## Card.

**FRANK D. LILLY,**  
BARRISTER-AT-LAW.  
Office: ACADEMY BUILDINGS,  
may5,3m DUCKWORTH STREET.

## Allan Line.

### NOTICE.

The S. S. "CARTHAGINIAN," sail-  
ing hence about the 16th inst., will  
proceed to Halifax and Quebec.

**Shea & Co.,**

Agents.

**HERBERT E. KNIGHT,**

SOLICITOR.

159 WATER STREET, 159  
may20 EAST OF DAVID SCLATER'S.

## New Advertisements.

## New Advertisements.



## Notice.

## GENERAL POST OFFICE.

On and after this date, there will be a  
Free Delivery of Letters and  
Papers by Carriers, throughout the  
City limits.

Carriers are authorized to collect in-  
sufficiently paid postage and nothing  
further.

The Public are requested to have their  
Correspondence, hereafter, addressed to  
their Street and Number, to facilitate  
the delivery; Box-holders should  
have their Correspondence addressed to  
their respective number.

J. O. FRASER,

Postmaster General.

GENERAL POST OFFICE,  
June 11th, 1886. 12i.

## ALLAN LINE.

### NOTICE TO PASSENGERS.

Intending Passengers by the steamer  
"CARTHAGINIAN," hence to Liver-  
pool 7th July, are requested to make  
early application for passage, as only  
a limited number of berths are avail-  
able.

SHEA & Co.,

Agents.

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### Summer Arrangement.

On and after June 15th, at 6 p.m.,  
Trains will be run as follows,  
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Leave St. John's for Kelligrews 6 a.m. & 6.15 p.m.  
Harbor Grace 10 a.m.

Harbor Grace for St. John's 12.20 p.m.

Kelligrews for St. John's 7.35 a.m. & 9.30 p.m.

Excursion Tickets will be sold each Thursday  
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same and following day only.

On Thursdays the evening Train from St. John's  
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at 8.55 p.m.

On Sundays a Special Train will leave St. John's  
for Holyrood at 2.30 p.m.; returning will arrive  
at St. John's at 8.10 p.m.

For Rates, Time-tables or further information,  
apply to Station Agents on the Line, or

**Thomas Noble,**

Gen. Agent, St. John's.

## CARD OF THANKS.

THE Rev. J. ST. JOHN wishes, before leaving  
town, to return his most sincere and grateful  
thanks to the public of St. John's for their  
liberal patronage and support of the Lottery and  
Concert in aid of the Salmonier Churches. The  
provincial large-heartedness and generosity of  
this community were more than usually displayed  
by the ample success of these undertakings, not-  
withstanding the prevailing depression in all  
branches of business. Whilst thus rendering due  
thanks to those who willingly and successfully  
assisted in the carrying out of both Lottery and  
Concert he cannot refrain from an especial ex-  
pression of his obligation to the Rev. P. J.  
Delaney, who, having been the first to suggest and  
encourage the enterprise, lent his untiring energy  
to secure its success, and to his universal popu-  
larity that success is in a large measure attrib-  
utable. To the ladies and gentlemen who so cor-  
dially assisted in the musical entertainment and  
fulfilled their several parts most admirably to the  
entire satisfaction and delight of an appreciative  
audience his unfeigned gratitude is due.

June 11.

## DORIES! DORIES!

Banker's Dories with fittings kept con-  
stantly in stock

At J. J. & L. FURLONG'S.

j11,3,fp.

## LOST.

On Thursday morning, a GOLD  
HAIR-BROACH. The finder will be  
suitably rewarded on leaving it at John  
Steer's Office.

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## NOTICE.

ALL PERSONS having claims against the Estate  
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deceased, are requested to furnish the same  
forthwith to

J. A. DAVIS,

Solicitor for Administrator  
of said Estate.

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Wanted: A Respectable, Intelligent  
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Good reference required. Apply to

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## FOR SALE BY

**West & Rendell,**

Ex steamer "Miranda,"

100 Brls. Mess & Packet

**BEEF.**

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## New Advertisements.

## Notice to Anglers.

## TROUT & SALMON TACKLE

Imported from the largest Manufac-  
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Quality of Tackle Warranted.

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Really good Ash Rods, ringed, brazed and winch-  
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Fishing Rod Ferrules and Fittings, Rod Rings and  
Keepers, Gaffs or Landing Hooks.

Reels in great variety—from 9d. upward.

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volving Plate Reels, in brass, bronze, ebonite  
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Artificial Flies, best Trout Flies, every variety—  
1s. 6d. to 2s. 6d. doz.—less by the gross.

Sea Trout Flies, very superior Salmon Flies, with  
names as recommended in the standard books  
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Companion to Ronald's Fly-fisher's Entomology,  
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Trout and Salmon Lines, the Standard Water-  
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Tapered Hemp and Hair Lines—10 to 30 yards.

Silk " " " " 15 to 50 "

Very superior Silk and Hair Trout and Salmon  
Lines—25 to 100 yards.

Best Silk Twist Lines, China Silk Lines, Fancy  
Colors and Cotton Lines—very cheap.

Gut Casting Lines, blue and white—fine, medium  
and strong.

Extra strong Trout and Salmon Casting Lines.

Treble-twisted Casting Lines, Salmon Casts—half  
spun and half superior single gut.

Single Gut Traces, &c., Fishing Baskets & Straps.

Limerick and Kirby Hooks, mounted to best gut  
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Hooks to twisted gut—best quality, different sizes.

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Luminous Floats (new kind).

Artificial Minnows—various kinds, Artificial In-  
sects, Artificial Bait, spoon and other Baits.

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lapsing Drinking Cups.

Waterproof Stockings (best Anglo), Waterproof  
Bags, Silkworm Gut, &c., &c.

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**FURS,**

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ESTES'S Fragrant Philodermis at  
O'Hara's Drug Store. may28,3w,fp.



## SCOTLAND FOR THE SCOTS.

Ex-Professor Blackie in a letter to the "Scotsman" says:—

As a thinking man, more concerned about the investigations of principles than about the administration of affairs, I do not imagine that any practical man, in general circumstances, would consider any word from me worth looking at. But, as matters now stand, I suddenly see, to my surprise, that not a few persons of administrative intelligence are beginning to think and to speak on the subject of Home Rule exactly as I have done within my own soul quietly for many years back.

Good government lies in the just balance and wise distribution of metropolitan and provincial functions; and a fortiori, where two separate and independent kingdoms such as England and Scotland are united, they will fall short of the ideal of well regulated social machinery, unless to each kingdom be preserved its own separate domain of local administration, distinct from, though in due subordination to, the great central authority which controls the movements of the Empire; and in this view it has always appeared to me that the statesmen who carried out the union between the two kingdoms at the beginning of the last century made no small mistake in relegating to London much administrative business that would have been gone through more expeditiously, more cheaply and more intelligently in the capital of the kingdom to which the business belongs. And not only so but the abstracting of so much local life to an extraneous and a distant centre has a tendency to denationalize the people, to rob them of their characteristic features, and to make them lose their individuality in a mass that has no superiority but that of mere position and multitude.

For these reasons I should gladly see any such change in the management of public affairs as would give more free play to the Scottish element in Scotsmen, and prevent Edinburgh from falling into the unworthy position of a mere pendant of London. But however this matter of administration may be arranged, I am constrained to see with great sorrow that from a combination of unhappy influences the people of Scotland are more and more losing their character, and that men like Sir Walter Scott, and women like the Baroness Nairne, who carry with them a genuine Scottish flavor which recommends them to every discerning foreigner, are yearly becoming fewer. Some part of this lamentable change is, no doubt, owing to circumstances over which we have no control; but it is owing principally to the radical defeat of our Scottish education, in which the principle of nationality is systematically ignored.

In certain quarters, I fear, the disease is rottenness in the bones, and so past all remedy; but it is the duty equally of piety and philosophy to hope the best; so I may find sympathy in the meantime for a whiff of patriotic indignation, and a gleam of hopeful promise in the following fourteen lines arising out of the political situation:

Well done, old Gladstone! if Home Rule is the cry,  
Let it upraise for Scotland! 'tis high time  
That we, being made of sterner stuff, should try  
Some other way to make our lives sublime.  
Than licking England's paws, and making fat  
That monstrous London with our best heart's blood;  
And spreading out the softly-plaited mat  
For Cockney feet in servile flunkynood.  
Come! let us be our stout old selves again.  
As when we stood with Bruce for Scotland's cause;  
Walk our own ways, and hold our heads like men;  
Sing our own songs, and brook our home-grown laws;  
Thus shall we beg no boon, and fear no wrong,  
In native panoply complete and strong.

## ALAS, HOW CHANGED!

The following beautiful apostrophe to the irreligious and beautiful France, that exists to-day, we take from the pen of a gifted Irish writer (C. M. O'Hara) in the columns of the "Catholic Fireside":—

"The first day of May in Provence broke amid a boom of glory and sunshine, exceptional even in that land of cloudless skies and sweet, luxuriant flower life.

"It was the patronal feast of Notre Dame de Grace, and as such was celebrated with a magnificence and devotion apparently unknown in these days of French infidelity and irreligion.

"Alas! lovely France! France of the

lilies! France of St. Louis! France of the strongest, truest hands that ever bore the Cross, of the noblest blood that ever dyed the tomahawks of the West. France of the shrines, scattered in myriads over thy fair, broad valleys, of the cloisters where innumerable Virgin bands hold their hands to heaven for the insufficient warriors wrestling on the plain. France of the Blessed Sacrament, of Mary's love, of Bernard's prayer, of Vincent's zeal, how art thou fallen? It is hard to think of thee, of the glorious robe of Faith, trampled beneath thy feet, the mantle of its fairest traditions torn from thy stately shoulders, sitting cold and scowling and hopeless in the dim gray shadows of materialism, and what looks sadly like the coming night of National Apostasy.

"It is hard to realise thy grand old churches empty, thy sweet bell-voices hushed, thy processions with the banners of Mary spread in the sun, the canopies of Mary thrilling the breeze, passed away forever from the quaint streets of Picardy, the vine-grown uplands of Avignon, the long white roads leading to Verdais, to 'la Garde' over the Mediterranean, and down the hill of the gave to the rocks and ivy and swaying elegance of the world-renowned Madonne de Massabielle!"

## PRESIDENT CLEVELAND'S MARRIAGE.

President Cleveland was married to Miss Frances Fulsom, of Buffalo, at 7.30 p. m. on June 2nd. About 6.30 the wedding guests began to arrive. The first arrivals were Secretary Lamar, Rev. Dr. Sutherland and wife, Postmaster-General Vilas and wife, Wilson C. Bissel, Secretary and Mrs. Endicott, Secretary Bayard, Secretary and Mrs. Whitney and Secretary Manning and his wife. The guests proceeded to the blue room where they were received by Miss Cleveland. For a few minutes the guests chatted gaily, but the conversation was quickly suspended at 7.15, when the selected orchestra from the marine band stationed in the corridor struck up the familiar strains of the wedding march from Mendelssohn's "Midsummer Night's Dream," and all eyes were turned toward the doorway to catch the first glimpse of the coming bride and groom. The President came slowly down the staircase with his bride leaning on his arm. They were unaccompanied, even the bride's mother awaiting her with the other guests. The bride and groom entered the blue room and took a position near the southern wall, which was completely hidden from sight by a mass of nodding palms, tropical grasses and endless variety of choice flowers. The delicate ivory shades of the bride's wedding gown found exquisite setting in the masses of crimson roses immediately beyond. The President was in full evening dress, with turn down collar, white lawn necktie and white enamel studs. A hush fell upon the assemblage as Dr. Sutherland stepped forward to his position fronting the wedding couple, with Rev. Wm. Cleveland, the President's brother, at his left hand. Rev. Sutherland read the marriage service, and after the usual responses pronounced the happy couple man and wife. The collation was served in the main hall, at which were present the families of cabinet officers and immediate relatives of the bride and groom. These constituted a small but brilliant company. The ladies were exquisitely dressed, and the decorations of the mansion were of the most elegant description. During the collation the bride and groom slipped quietly out of the room, changed their attire for travelling costumes, and at 8.30 o'clock were driven to the depot, where they took a special train for Deer Park. The bridal couple will spend a week in the cottage at Deer Park, but their movements thereafter are unknown. A presidential salute was fired by a battery of artillery and all the bells in the city rang out joyous peals.

A despatch from Deer Park, Maryland, of June 3rd, intimates that President Cleveland and bride arrived here at 4 o'clock this morning and are domiciled at one of the cottages belonging to the hotel. The hotels are not yet opened for the season, but a large influx of visitors is expected as soon as it is generally known that the President and his wife are here.

A later despatch says:—The President and his bride of 24 hours spent the first day of their honeymoon 2,700 feet above the sea, in one of the most beautiful parts of Maryland. They are at a cottage situated about fifty yards from Deer Park station, and have been the centre of interest to all persons living within a radius of ten miles. The bridal party will reside here in strict seclusion for a week or more.

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1,000 Pairs CORSETS—1s. 3d. to 15s. per pair.  
Fancy Dress Goods.  
JOB LOT SATEENS—at half price.  
Ladies' and Children's Hosiery. Mens' Shoes—7s. 6d. to 15s. 6d. per pair. Mens' Merino Shirts and Drawers. Mens' Felt Hats. Mens' Collars and Ties. Mens' Cloth and Merino Socks.  
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Manufacturers, Commission and forwarding Agent Office and Sample Room,  
151 WATER STREET,  
Over O'Mara's Drug Store,  
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Agent for Newfoundland:

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## 300 Pairs Mens' Boots,

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CASH DOWN ON THE NAIL.  
100 Pairs Long Wellington,  
100 Pairs Lacing Balmorals,  
100 Pairs Elastic Sides,  
made of the very best materials—worth 14s. a pair.

## See Them.

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CODSEINES—65 x 100, to 65 x 120 fathoms.  
HERRING SEINES—30 x 50, to 55 x 100 fathoms.  
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COD-TRAPS—10, 12, 14 & 16 fathoms square.  
HERRING NETS—Hemp & Cotton—30 to 60 rand.  
BARKED COD BUNT, HERRING BUNT and ARM NETTING.  
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Barked HEAD ROPES and COD BAGS.

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Portland Cement,  
Soda Crystals,

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## American Oil Clothes—Shield &amp; Cape Ann Brands.

Trunks—all sizes. Window Frames, Feathers and Feather Beds.

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Every Comfort that an Hotel is capable of affording.

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PROPRIETOR.

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## FRINGES ! FRINGES !

## To the Ladies !

Our FRINGES have arrived, and will be open for Inspection this afternoon.

Newfoundland Furniture & Moulding Co.

G. H. & C. E. ARCHIBALD.

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## CARRISTON'S GIFT

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PART I.

TOLD BY PHILIP BRAND, M. D., LONDON.

## VII.

(Continued.)

Upon re-entering the room I found him sitting, as I had left him—directly opposite to the door. His face was turned fully toward me, and I trembled as I caught sight of it. He was leaning forward; his hands on the table-cloth, his whole frame rigid, his eyes staring in one direction, yet, I knew, capable of seeing nothing that I could see. He seemed even oblivious to sound, for I entered the room and closed the door behind me without causing him to change look or position. The moment I saw the man I knew that he had been overtaken by what he called the strange fit.

My first impulse—a natural one—was to arouse him, but second thoughts told me that this was an opportunity for studying his disease which should not be lost—I felt that I could call it by no other name than disease—so I proceeded to make a systematic examination of his symptoms.

I leaned across the table and, with my face about a foot from his, looked straight into his eyes. They betrayed no sign of recognition—no knowledge of my presence, I am ashamed to say I could not divest myself of the impression that they were looking through me. The pupils were greatly dilated. The lids were wide apart. I lighted a taper and held it before them, but could see no expansion of the iris. It was a case, I confess, entirely beyond my comprehension. I had no experience which might serve as a guide as to what was the best course to adopt. All I could do was to stand and watch carefully for any change.

Save for his regular breathing and a sort of convulsive twitching of his fingers, Carriston might have been a corpse or a statue. His face could scarcely grow paler than it had been before the attack. Altogether, it was an uncomfortable sight; a creepy sight—this motionless man, utterly regardless of all that went on around him, and seeing, or giving one the idea that he saw, something far away. I sighed as I looked at the strange spectacle, and foresaw what the end must surely be. But although I longed for him to awake, I determined on this occasion to let the trance, or fit, run its full course, that I might notice in what manner and how soon consciousness returned.

I must have waited and watched some ten minutes—minutes which seemed to me interminable. At last I saw the lips quiver, the lids flicker once or twice, and eventually close wearily over the eyes. The unnatural tension of every muscle seemed to relax, and, sighing deeply, and apparently quite exhausted, Carriston sank back into his chair with beads of perspiration forming on his white brow. The fit was over.

In a moment I was at his side and forcing a glass of wine down his throat. He looked up at me and spoke. His voice was faint, but his words were quite collected.

"I have seen her again," he said. "She is well; but so unhappy. I saw her kneel down and pray. She stretched her beautiful arms out to me. And yet I know not where to look for her—my poor love! my poor love!"

I waited until I thought he had sufficiently recovered from his exhaustion of talk without injurious consequences. "Carriston," I said, "let me ask you one question: Are these trances or visions voluntary or not?"

He reflected for a few moments. "I can't quite tell you," he said; "or, rather, I would put it in this way. I do not think I can exercise my power at will; but I can feel when the fit is coming on me, and, I believe, can if I choose stop myself from yielding to it."

"Very well. Now listen. Promise me you will fight against these seizures as much as you can. If you don't, you will be raving mad in a month."

"I can't promise that," said Carriston, quietly. "See her at times I must, or I shall die. But I promise to yield as seldom as may be. I know, as well as you do, that the very exhaustion I now feel must be injurious to any one."

In truth, he looked utterly worn out. Very much dissatisfied with his concession, the best I could get for him, I sent him to bed, knowing that natural rest, if he could get it, would do more than anything else toward restoring a healthy tone to his mind.

## VIII.

Although Carriston stated that he came to me for aid, and, it may be, protection, he manifested the greatest reluctance in the following advice I offered him. The obstinacy of his refusal to obtain the assistance of the police placed me in a predicament. That Madeline Rowan had really disappeared I was, of course, compelled to believe. It might even be possible that she was kept against her will in some place of concealment. In such a case it behooved us to take proper steps to trace her. Her welfare should not depend upon the hallucinations and eccentric ideas of a man half out of his senses with love and grief. I all but resolved, even at the risk of forfeiting Carriston's friendship, to put the whole matter in the hands of the police, unless in the course of a day or two we heard from the girl herself, or Carriston suggested some better plan.

Curiously enough, although refusing to be guided by me, he made no suggestion on his own account. He was racked by fear and suspense, yet his only idea of solving his difficulties seemed to be that of waiting. He did nothing. He simply waited, as if he expected that chance would bring what he should have been searching for high and low.

Some days passed before I could get a tardy consent that aid should be sought. Even then he would not go to the proper quarter; but he allowed me to summon to our councils a man who advertised himself as being a private detective. This man, or one of his men came at our call, and heard what wanted of him. Carriston reluctantly gave him one of Madeline's photographs. He also told him that only by watching and spying on Ralph Carriston's every action could he hope to obtain the clew. I did not much like the course, adopted, nor did I like the look of the man to whom the inquiry was intrusted; but any rate something was to be done.

A week passed without news from our agent. Carriston, in truth, did not expect any. I believe he only employed the man in deference to my wishes. He moved about the house in a disconsolate fashion. I had not told him of my interview with his cousin, but had cautioned him of the rare occasions upon which he went out of doors to avoid speaking to strangers, and my servants had strict instructions to prevent anyone coming in and taking my guest by surprise.

For I had during those days opened a confidential inquiry on my own account. I wanted to learn something about this Mr. Ralph Carriston. So I asked a man who knew everybody to find out all about him.

He reported that Ralph Carriston was a man well known about London. He was married and had a house in Dorsetshire; but the greater part of his time was spent in town. Once he was supposed to be well-off; but now it was the general opinion that every acre he owned was mortgaged, and that he was much pressed for money. "But," my informant said, "there is but one life between him and the reversion to large estates, and that life is a poor one. I believe even now there is talk about the man who stands in his way being mad. If so, Ralph Carriston will get the management of everything."

After this news I felt it more than ever needful to keep a watchful eye on my friend. So far as I knew there had been no recurrence of the trance, and I began to hope that proper treatment would effect a complete cure, when, to my great alarm and annoyance, Carriston, while sitting with me, suddenly and without warning fell into the same strange state of body and mind as previously described. This time he was sitting in another part of the room. After watching him for a minute or two, and just as I was making up my mind to arouse him and scold him thoroughly for his folly, he sprang to his feet, and shouting, "Let her go! Loose her, I say!" rushed violently across the room—so violently, that I had barely time to interpose and prevent him from coming into contact with the opposite wall.

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## The Colonist.

FRIDAY, JUNE 11, 1886.

## THE BAIT QUESTION.

The following is an extract from a letter from the head of a large fishery firm in London to one of our leading merchants here, and shows how this matter is regarded in the old country:

This policy of supplying the French with bait is most suicidal—for the benefit of a few who engage in that traffic—it enables the French to catch large quantities of fish, which they could not otherwise do, and thus to supply all our markets and greatly reduce the price of Labrador fish, even if it does not ultimately drive it out of the markets. Surely this bait supply could be stopped in some way.

## THE ORANGE RIOTS IN BELFAST.

The telegraphic despatches of yesterday and to-day give alarming evidence that the evil seed, sown in Ulster, last fall, by the pigmy demagogue, "Lord Randy Churchill" is yielding a crop of dragons' teeth. The Orangemen of Belfast now in open revolt against law and order, destroying life and property, are the dupes of the landlords and Tories who fear that a native parliament would deprive them of some of their opportunities of holding their tenantry in a state of vassalage. After threatening and blustering for some months they have at last allowed their fanaticism to get the better of their discretion, and have commenced to defy the constituted authorities, by dreadful breaches of the peace. The rioting going on will of course be put down. The majesty of the law must be upheld; and though the lives lost can never be restored, yet good will eventually come out of the lamentable occurrences taking place in Belfast. These who are moderate and respectable in the Orange societies will disavow all connection with them. Fair minded men everywhere will see that the professions of loyalty made by Johnson of Kilbeg, by Major Sanderson, and others of the same kidney, are mere hollow pretensions to cloak their selfishness and intolerance. Many of the people of England and Scotland, who may have been wavering in their support of Mr. Gladstone's Home Rule Bill, out of deference to the Ulster Orangemen, will now rally round his standard; and every really loyal subject must soon see that the Home Rule of a great majority of the Catholics and Protestants of Ireland is better than the rule of a lawless faction who keep open the gaping wounds which it would have been better, for the peace and prosperity of the realm, had been healed generations ago.

[From the Boston Pilot.]

If the Irish people were to threaten civil war, as the Orangemen are doing, advertise for arms, and openly drill in companies, an army would be sent into the country to slaughter them, martial law would be proclaimed, the prisons would be filled. Nothing could better illustrate the horrors of Irish misgovernment than the truculent and unrestrained defiance of the Orange body.

Her Johann Most, the editor of the Freiheit, Anarchist organ in New York, and a terrible swash-buckler of a fellow in print, was arrested last week upon a charge of inciting to riot. He did not sell his liberty dearly. In fact he was dragged from under a bed, like a cat out of an ash-barrel. There will be a great demand for beds if the police ever get after those blood-thirsty Ulster gentlemen who are now sighing for a chance to wade knee deep in gore.

[From the Catholic Review.]

The patience of the people of Ireland must not be presumed upon too much or too far. They and their representa-

tives have thus far held and borne themselves as men having a great cause at heart and at stake. Orange threats and bluster they have taken as a strong man takes the yelp of a vicious cur. He does not think the cur that snarls at his heels worthy even of a passing kick. But Ireland cannot stand idly by while Ulster is arming itself with the avowed object of slaying the Irish people and the Irish cause. The English Government would act wisely in sitting very sharply, decisively and heavily on these gentlemen who are calling for guns, generals, volunteers and so forth—to do what? To raise riot and bloodshed and destroy the peace of the United Kingdoms.

## MR. BLAINE'S SPEECH AT PORTLAND.

No better evidence of the sensitiveness of the Tory politicians and the press of England could be given than the censure of Lord Salisbury and the London "Times" on the speech recently delivered at Portland by Hon. James Blaine. A despatch of the 4th inst. says Lord Salisbury, in the house of lords "severely criticized Mr. Blaine for his Portland speech, and John Morley, Chief Secretary for Ireland, because of his attack on the same utterances attributed to the marquis which Blaine denounced. Lord Salisbury said he must denounce the language used by Blaine, who is canvassing for the exalted position of the presidency of the United States. He complained that Blaine and Morley both misquoted him in reference to his utterances, and said he thought that the language used by the marquis was justly capable of the construction put upon it by both Blaine and Morley."

We publish part of the speech which has aroused the ire of Salisbury in today's COLONIST. Its significance lies not only in the great ability of Mr. Blaine, but in the almost certainty that he will be the next President of the United States.

The Kennebec "Journal" publishes a letter from Mr. Blaine denying that in his recent speech at Portland he had applied the words "impudent," "insolent" and "brutal" to Lord Salisbury. Mr. Blaine writes:—"I was referring to his Lordship's declaration that the Irish might remain as they are now or emigrate, and I said interrogatively? 'Is not this an impudent proposition? Is it not insolent in its terms? Does it indeed stop short of being brutal in its cruelty?' It is parliamentary to say that statement is not true, but altogether unparliamentary to say that its author is guilty of falsehood. The first describes the thing, the second assails the person. My characterization was aimed at the proposition, and not at Lord Salisbury personally."

The Halifax "Chronicle" of the 7th inst. reports that the steamer Sardinian, which left Liverpool on the 20th May with the mails, has not yet arrived at Quebec. The report of Thursday last that she has passed Cape Race is now believed to be incorrect. They have mistaken her for the Caspian which arrived here on Saturday. The mails by the Vancouver, which left Liverpool a week later arrived here yesterday, via Rimouski.

In the closing days of the debate on the second reading of the Home Rule Bill Mr. John Morley, Secretary for Ireland, stated that the government had decided to proceed with the Home Rule Bill instead of resolution affirming the principle, because it felt it ought to be prepared with a plan. It never expected to succeed by one blow or to carry the scheme with a rush. He concluded by saying that the division about to be taken would not be the end; even an electoral campaign might not be the end. Let not the opponents of the bill imagine that by driving the government from the stage the curtain would fall on the last scene of the fifth and final act of the Irish question. If the house refused to accept the resolution now offered it might rest assured no other measure, unless based on lines of this measure, would be carried a single effective stage further.

## CARD OF THANKS FROM THE CREW OF THE GERTRUDE.

St. John's, Nfld., 11th June, 1886.  
Mr. P. R. Bowers,  
Editor of the Colonist,  
St. John's, Newfoundland.

DEAR SIR,—We hope that you will favour us with a small space in your valuable paper to return our sincere thanks to Captain Moulkay and crew, of the banking schooner Telephone, for his and their great kindness towards us whilst on board their vessel, after having taken us on board after our misfortune in losing our vessel.

We remain, Sir,  
Yours respectfully,  
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## A GEOLOGICAL PARADISE.

Prof. Hyatt on the West Coast of Newfoundland.

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(From the St. John's Correspondent of the Montreal Gazette.)

St. John's Nfld., May 26.

Professor Hyatt one of the most eminent of American scientists, spent three months of last summer in exploring the west coast of Newfoundland in the yacht Arethusa. He was accompanied by Dr. E. G. Gardiner and Mr. George Barton, instructors of the Massachusetts Institute of Technology; Dr. Howard, M. Buck, of Boston; and S. R. Bartlett and C. L. Burlingham, students of the Institute of Technology. Professor Hyatt has long since held a foremost place in the ranks of scientific men. He is a pupil of Agassiz, and is distinguished not only as an eloquent expounder of science, but also an original investigator and discoverer in paleontology and a leader in scientific thought. He is a professor of zoology in Boston university, professor of zoology and paleontology in Massachusetts Institute of Technology, and custodian of the Boston Society of Natural History. The visit of such a distinguished scientific party to our shores is an event of some importance. From a short paper in Science by Professor Hyatt, descriptive of his cruise, and from private letters which I received from him, while on his trip, I am able to give a brief account of the results of the exploration which extended from St. George's Bay to Cape Norman, the most northern point of Newfoundland, and also to several localities on the Labrador coast, near the Straits of Belle Isle.

## A GEOLOGICAL PARADISE.

Before coming to the scientific results, it may be interesting to note the general impression left on Professor Hyatt's mind by a visit to a region which has rarely been explored by scientists or tourists. Fortunately the weather proved very favorable, and from early in June till about August 10th was delightful and greatly facilitated the work of exploration on shore.

In a letter dated May 29th, 1885, and written after arriving at St. George's Bay from St. John's, Professor Hyatt says: "Certainly one can rarely see in this world more remarkable and picturesque villages than those of Burin, Burgeo and Rose Blanche. The effect of the pond-like harbors, surrounded by rugged hills, often of considerable height, is rendered extremely pleasing, often lovely, by the habit of building the cottages anywhere, according to the fancy or fortune of the owner. Burgeo was especially remarkable, and an artist could spend many summers on this coast, and become its pictorial historian with great gain to himself." Port-au-Port, near St. George's Bay, proved to be a geological paradise to the professor, rare and curious fossils of great size being abundant. Writing on June 21st he says: "I have spent several days on the shore and three in other work, so that the lay of the rocks and their relation were quite clear in my mind; and I had also marked a dozen fine specimens of endoceras and omeroceras for the chisel. We spent three days in this work, and got out several fine specimens in a perfect state. I have one endoceras two feet six inches long and with the living chambers nearly perfect—one of the finest things I have ever seen in any collection, not even excepting Hall's or Barrande's." On July 19th he wrote: "We have found abundance of fossils at Ingornachois bay, and here the fossil cephalopods are marvelous in size and number. We have revelled for ten days with hammer and chisel in digging out these."

## SUPERB SCENERY.

At a later date he speaks of the climate and scenery in the following terms: "The weather favored us while in Newfoundland. We were not detained by fogs and had very few adverse winds. The coast is certainly notable for strong winds, but this summer they did not cause any detention; and though they sometimes made our ears ring, and filled our eyes and nostrils with inconvenient dust when we were working in the rocks, they kept us cool and healthy. The scenery was superb, and has made all the countries we have passed through since seem tame and unpicturesque, except indeed the steep mountainous cliffs of Cape North, and the vicinity, on Cape Breton. I never expect to get so much pleasure combined with intellectual profit, out of any future trip. Port-au-Port is a paradise for the artist as well as for the geologist, and the same might be said of Bonne Bay. Bay of Islands is not so interesting except to the physical geologist and mineralogist. The same holds good to a triflingly less degree of Anse-au-Loup and some other places."

## BLAINE ON HOME RULE.

Enthusiastic Meeting in Sympathy with Ireland's Hope.

## HIS VIEWS ON THE QUESTION.

Gladstone's Measures Will Pass Even if Temporarily Defeated.

PORTLAND, Me., June 1, 1886.—The great City Hall was more than packed to-night, the occasion being the Gladstone-Parnell meeting. Not only was the great hall, with a seating capacity of three thousand, crowded so that there was no standing room, but outside the ante rooms the stairway, the lower hall and even the streets outside were packed. Hundreds came in from out of town only to find that it was out of the question to gain admission to the hall. Mayor Chapman called the meeting to order and introduced Governor Robie, who delivered a very earnest address, giving a most hearty indorsement to Gladstone's home rule plan. He made a sharp arraignment of Lord Salisbury and his plan of "Accept or leave." At the close of Governor Robie's address he said:—"Ladies and gentlemen, Mr. Blaine—(great applause)—is in the city, and after Father McKenna speaks he will address you." Father McKenna made an eloquent and effective speech, and at the close of his address Wyman H. Lovering escorted Mr. Blaine to the platform.

## MR. BLAINE'S ADDRESS.

Mr. Blaine, after shaking hands with Governor Robie, said:—"Your Excellency, directly after the publication of this meeting I received a letter from a venerable citizen in an adjacent county asking me to explain, if I could, just what the Irish question is. I appreciate the question, or rather I appreciate his request; for in a question that calls forth so much sympathy and sentiment on the part of the world at large, and yet evokes so much opposition among those who are directly interested, there may be danger of not giving attention enough to the simple elementary facts of the case. Now, what is home rule? Why, it is what every State and Territory of the United States enjoys—(applause)—and it is what Ireland does not enjoy. In a Parliament of 658 members Great Britain has 553 and Ireland has 105; and except with the consent of that Parliament, Ireland cannot organize a gas company—(laughter)—or a horse railroad company or a ferry over a stream—(laughter)—or do the slightest thing that implies legislative power. Now suppose we bring that home and the State of Maine should be linked with the State of New York, relatively as large with the State of Maine as England in numbers with Ireland, and your beautiful city here could not take a step for its improvement, nor the State of Maine organize an association of any kind, or charter a company of any kind, unless the overwhelming galaxy of the New York Legislature gave her consent. How long do you think the people of Maine would stand it? (Applause.) That is a simple question between England and Ireland, except there is the great fact in addition, which would not apply to New York and Maine, that there are centuries of wrong, which have built up monuments of hatred on the part of those who are the subjects of oppression, and which has aggravated the question between Ireland and Great Britain far beyond the limits that would be found between New York and Maine. I suppose if the question were put to the United States to decide we should say, 'Adopt the federal system. Have your legislature for Ireland, your legislature for England, your legislature for Scotland and your imperial parliament for the British Empire. Let questions that are Irish be settled by Irishmen; questions that are English be settled by Englishmen; questions that are Welsh be settled by Welshmen, and questions that are Scotch be settled by Scotchmen.' (Applause.) The question that effects the whole Empire of Great Britain should be settled by the parliament in which the four great constitutional elements shall be impartially represented. (Applause.) I say that would be the shorthand method of settling the question, for we have lived that way for one hundred years nearly in the United States of America. (Applause.)

## CANNOT PRESCRIBE EXACT MEASURES.

I do not forget, however, that it would be political empiricism to attempt by any prescription to give the exact measure, the exact details of any measure that should settle this long dispute between Great Britain and Ireland. I am admonished by what I have noticed in the British Parliament in discussions concerning America not to be too forward in knowledge of details or in prescribing exact measures, because, I suppose, they would retort that we know quite as little about their precise troubles as they know about ours. Therefore I do not stand here simply to say that Mr. Gladstone's is a perfect measure. I do not stand here to say I could even give you the exact details of that measure.

(Conclusion to-morrow.)

## Local and other Items.

The steamer 'Plover' left Greenspond at 7 p.m., yesterday, bound north.

The steamer 'Curlew,' left Harbor Breton at noon yesterday, bound west.

About twenty fish per man was jigged by St. John's crews off Cape Spear this morning.

The banking schooner 'Surprise,' Captain Wm. O'Neil, arrived at Femeuse to-day with 550 qtls fish.

The highest point attained by the thermometer during the last twenty-four hours was 67, the lowest 46.

The Captain and Crew of the lost schooner 'Lous Duggan,' arrived here to-day, overland from Bay Bulls.

Messrs. P. & L. Tessier's bark 'Maria,' Captain Snow, arrived at Sydney, yesterday, thirty days from Pernambuco, in ballast. She will load with coal for this port.

The steamer 'Hercules' sailed for Brigus North at four o'clock yesterday afternoon, where she will take a number of Mr. Gerrett's dealers with their outfits to proceed to the Labrador.

Mr. R. Callahan's banker 'Annie,' Captain Martin Mullooney, arrived from the banks, on Friday last, with three hundred qtls. fish. After landing, the vessel proceeded to Holy Rood where she is now baiting for her second trip.

CHANGE OF TIME.—The new time table of the Newfoundland Railway will come into force on Tuesday, as per advertisement on front page. The evening trains leave at 6.15 p. m. instead of 6.30, being 20 minutes earlier than last year.

List of passengers per 'Miranda' for Halifax and New York:—John H. Canning, W. Clouston, Hugh Carter, and 13 in steerage. For New York, Miss M. Allen, G. J. Bingham, J. Kavanagh, E. P. Archibald, W. Boyle, and 16 in steerage.

Charles Bowring, Esq., received a telegram from Liverpool this morning, apprising him of the death of his brother, John Bowring, Esq., in that city. Mr. Bowring was comparatively a young man, being but little over sixty years of age. He had been sick but a short time.

To persons engaged in cutting up Sole Leather, either for repairing or retailing purposes, there is none so cheap as COGAN VALLEY. While costing no more than ordinary or inferior brands, it is far more economical, as it is free from brands; and the substance runs well into the skirts. tf.

The evidence is accumulating that Newfoundland is not all rocks. To those who wish to be convinced to the contrary we commend the letter of the St. John's correspondent of the Montreal "Gazette," the first part of which will be found in our columns to-day, and the remainder to-morrow.

COGAN VALLEY LEATHER is not a thing of to-day. It has made and established the reputation of being the best Sole Leather ever imported into this Colony. Unscrupulous importers may try to palm off other and inferior brands upon the Trade, but the best and true COGAN VALLEY LEATHER can only be obtained from Bowring Bros. tf.

The Ball last night at Government House was largely attended. The dancing was kept up with great vivacity to the inspiring strains of Bennett's Band who excelled even themselves. His Excellency and Lady Des Vœux, as usual, were untiring in their efforts to promote the enjoyment of their guests. The only thing that at all marred the happiness of the occasion was the monopoly of the fair ladies, in the mazy dance, by the gentlemen in blue and gold. The people of St. John's need not be surprised if they hear of "pistols for two and coffee for one," before H. M. S. 'Emerald' leaves port.—Com.

NOTICE.—The office of the SCOTCH DYE WORK, has re-opened at 140 New Gower Street, head of Waldegrave Street, 8 doors East of old stand, and are now ready to receive Ladies' and Gents' Clothing of every description. We will clean and press all kinds of Goods to look equal to new, or dye them in any of the fashionable colors. Ladies' and Gents' Summer Suits cleaned and done up in best style. Don't wash or rip any Goods sent to my Works. Office hours from 8 to 1 and from 2 to 6 and from 7 to 84. L. FORRESTER, ap5,3m. Proprietor.

## SUPREME COURT.

THURSDAY, June 10th, 1886.

(BEFORE HONORABLE MR. JUSTICE LITTLE AND A SPECIAL JURY.)

Wm. H. Blake,  
vs  
James G. Conroy,

In this case the jury brought in a verdict for defendant, after which the Court rose for the term.